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Numismatic Personality Column



MISS "FLASH" McAULEY, ANA CHAIRMAN

Let's have it understood right from the beginning. I'm strictly amateur — in coin collecting, and I intend to stay amateur. It's much more fun that way.

When a local department store opened a hobby and coin shop early in 1952, I started out the usual beginner's way, — filling penny blueboards, then nickels and dimes . . . and promptly fell head over heels in love with numismatics.

The next month I rushed to join the Atlanta Coin Club (then in its 23rd year), — and there I made my first mistake. You see things seem to happen when I put words on paper. On my membership application I innocently wrote a marginal note that I'd be happy to help with typing club reports and records. Two minutes later I was accepted as a member and unanimously elected Secretary & Treasurer of the Club! But I demurred, acted as assistant officer for two years and as Secretary & Treasurer for several years. I became member #107 after I brought up to date the membership number system; hundreds of members had come and slipped out without a number assigned.

While I branched out into proof sets, uncirculated coins and paper money, the prices on U.S. coins finally halted me . . . I still love my cents, nickels and dimes . . . and now have about 3,000 minor foreign coins, from almost every country. Some crowns, yes, but my love is the minor foreigners, specially those of our dime size . . . and Biblical and ancient coins. I love the

coins of Great Britain and Canada, those of Queen Victoria, of Switzerland and Mexico.

A legal secretary by profession, I managed a new coin shop for a year and had a ball learning more about numismatics and numismatists. The two Atlanta businessmen who owned the shop later parted and set up individual coin shops, both needed in this fast growing area.

I joined the American Numismatic Association as member #20085 early in 1952, and later the Canadian Numismatic Association as member #1095. I like to take an active part in any organization I join. I want to know who's who and what's going on. With the joy and pleasure and the friendships that coin collecting has brought me, why shouldn't I give my working share to those clubs and organizations that have given me so much?

Now I'm Publicity Chairman for the A.N.A. 1961 Atlanta Convention. There again, I'm strictly amateur and always so amazed when I'm published! This love affair with numismatics has quickly spread to the editors of numismatic publications. Elston Bradfield, Editor of **The Numismatist**, named me Top Secretary of the Clubs one year, — and in print, mind you! — so I promptly wrote him a letter exclaiming "I love you!" But his praise made me work harder to send good club reports to the magazine.

I'm sure I am the despair of several numismatic editors and writers! I airmail love letters to

THE OFFICIAL ANA MEDAL



1961 ATLANTA CONVENTION

Advance orders are now being accepted for the official medal of the A.N.A. 1961 Atlanta Convention. Designed by Convention Badges & Ribbons Chairman, Edwin Harrison, a charter member of Atlanta Coin Club, the medal will be struck by Medallie Art Comany, of New York.

In line with the Civil War Centennial theme, the medal, 1½ inches in size, portrays the Cyclorama Building which houses the world's largest painting depicting the Battle of Atlanta exactly as it took place at 4:30 p.m. on July 22, 1864 around Moreland and DeKalb Avenues. The reverse of the medal features the City of Atlanta seal.

with the organizational date of the Atlanta Coin Club.

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Treasury Issues Reminder on Disposal of Gold Holdings Abroad

The Treasury Department today called attention to the fact that, under Executive Order 6260 and the Treasury Gold Regulations, as amended effective January 16, 1961, U. S. citizens and enterprises and other persons subject to U. S. jurisdiction who held gold abroad or securities representing gold on deposit abroad on the effective date of the amendments are required to dispose of such holdings no later than May 31, 1961.

Effective June 1, 1961, the further holding of such gold, unless licensed, and securities representing gold on deposit abroad will be prohibited.

Willful violators of these prohibitions are subject to criminal penalties provided in Section 5(b) of the Act of October 6, 1917, as amended, which are a maximum fine of \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than ten years or both. Violators may also incur a civil penalty provided in the Gold Reserve Act of 1934, equal to twice the value of the gold involved.

them as soon as they publish convention releases. I'm blushing, but can I help it if they publish my stories and say such nice things in print about me?

Amateur photographer, too! My lawyer boss gave me a fancy flash camera for Christmas, and I'm taking pix all over the place of the fine club people here who are working so hard to make this A.N.A. convention a pleasure for all. I still forget to adjust something on my camera when taking pictures, but all these nice editors are publishing my convention photos and giving me official photo credits! Just call me "Flash" McAuley! Club folks down here don't take me seriously at all. They don't treat me with the dignity and respect I think I deserve as Official Convention Photographer, — except for George M. Todd, General Chairman of the Convention. And that shows what an intelligent and discerning man he is.

That's the fun of numismatics, the genuinely fine people I've met and corresponded with over the years. I'm so looking forward to meeting the editors and writers at convention time here in August.

Yes, sir, this numismatic love affair continues to grow stronger each year. I've told you I write love letters to the editors. Now you want me in your Numismatic Personality Column. Editor Spadone. I love you!

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Mutilated Coins-- Coins we couldn't spend, and wouldn't

By Kalvart K. Tidwell

Aside from our collection of the very best coins we have been able to obtain, we have acquired a weighty amount of United States mutilated specimens of the several denomination from all over the country. We have spent a lot of good money for bad, but it has paid off. Formerly acceptable hard spending money, this junk we now refer to, and so label it, "U.S. Scrap Metal."

Displayed on a large black velvet cloth, at shows, in bank windows, and at National Coin Week exhibits, this large assortment of mutilated numismatic material attracts equally, if not more attention, than some of our finest series of coins.

Concerning these mutilated coins, history records a number of circumstances connected therewith, namely, romance, mystery, tragedy, and acts of just plain stupidity. In general, coins are mutilated purposely or accidentally. Coins have been holed, sawed in half, hammered and smashed, bent, initialled, strung for babies to cut their teeth on, worked into jewelry items, etc. Some coins are accidentally marred by ground and moisture contact. Acids eat

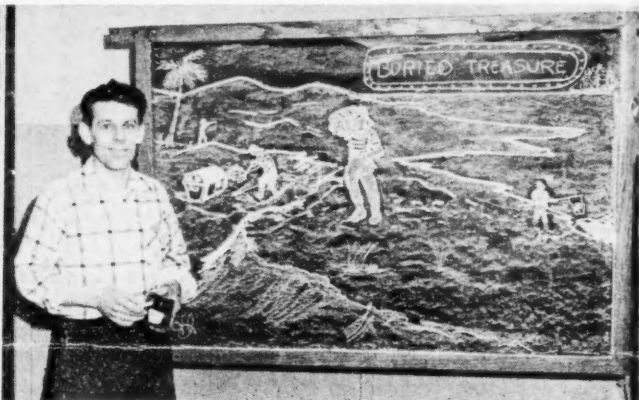
away at their surfaces and markings, and through unexpected fires of intense heat, severe damaging are wrought. The manners of marring are self-explanatory and, as a whole, no plausible excuse can justify their existence.

A greater and fixed interest is shown in the study of the coins falling in the accidental causation column. Some examples — two U.S. Barber half dollars fused together by heat, San Francisco Earthquake, 1906. A tornado strikes hometown, 1953, 114 killed. Repairs to damaged 75-year-old building uncovered handful of nickels, dimes and quarters in longtime abandoned sewer line. Much corroded, many pieces showing a thickness diminished by one-half Our souvenir of a west Texas bank fire is a half-brick size welded block of U.S. cent pieces. Some key dates could be forever locked herein. A top Lincoln cent bears a perfect 1909-P date.

Finally, we mention a number of mutilated batches of coins recovered from coin operated machines destroyed by fire over a long number of years. All in all, this gathered heap of mutilated coins commands much interest and comment. Viewing it can be educational, too.



BURIED METAL—Louis Jolivet, Plant Department, Haverhill Shops, is shown in this photo at his home workshop demonstrating the way in which he uses one of his metal detectors to discover various objects hidden beneath the ground. Collection of keys, rings, knives, coins, pins, and brooches are objects unearthed by "Louie" during his search for buried "treasure".



BURIED TREASURE is more than subject matter for one of his chalk paintings to Louis Jolivet of the Plant Department at the Haverhill Shops. Shown above with one of his recent artistic endeavors, "Louie" spends a great deal of time searching New England's shores and hills for "buried treasure". Using a metal detector, scintillator and a Geiger counter, he enjoys the hobby.

Exciting Hobby:

Modern Search For "Buried Treasure"

For most people the thought of seeking buried treasure remains forever just a thought. It provokes the imagination, stirs the spirit, and arouses the wanderlust. But it remains a dormant figment of wish.

We were speaking above of "most people".

For Louis Jolivet, Plant Department, Haverhill Shops, hunting buried treasure is a reality. He has already unearthed coins, silver and gold long buried beneath the sands — and he has strong hopes of discovering much more.

"Louie" has two hobbies, both

rewarding. One is his penchant for impromptu artistic endeavor. The other is his exciting search for wealth hidden within the confines of the Earth.

His artistic talent was first revealed to personnel at work on the eighth floor of the Grad building of the Haverhill Shops when they came in one morning to find a work-study blackboard artfully displaying one of Louie's creations, which he does during his night shift lunch hour. Modestly, he offered to erase the work, but fellow employees urged him to continue his efforts. Frequently since that time the personnel of the eighth floor have been greeted with "fresh" chalk paintings of varied scenes.

Louie's second hobby, however, captures the imagination — his search for buried treasure. Having worked in radio and televis-

sion prior to joining Western Electric, Louie has built two metal detectors, one of which is capable of revealing hidden metal objects buried as much as five feet under the ground. He also has a Geiger counter and a scintillator which can pick up traces of radioactivity and thus disclose possible uranium sites.

How did he become interested in buried treasure? It happened one day while Louie and his wife and their son, Richard, were enjoying an outing at Hampton Beach. Sifting sand through his fingers as he basked in the sun, he found some coins. As he counted the money he reasoned that there must be much more hidden beneath the sands. How to find it? A metal detector was the answer. So much fun, and oftentimes reward, came from

his first home-made detector that his wife, Evelyn, insisted that he build another for her. Since then they have unearthed coins, rings, pins, brooches, and other objects in their searches.

On the matter of uranium Louie speaks carefully. He has studied geology in his spare time and has received samples of ore from Charle A. Stern, discoverer of rich uranium deposits at Moab, Utah, and termed by some national magazines as "the richest man in the world."

Does he think there is uranium in the Haverhill-Lawrence area? Louie smiles his infectious smile and points out that uranium has been found in nearby Rhode Island. He also makes vague mention of some anonymous ledges in New Hampshire.

Then he begins opening a box of chalk.

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James Bird, President
O.K.I. Coin Dealers Association

Union County Members Exhibit During National Coin Week

The main topic of discussion at the 12th meeting of the Union County Coin Club was the different locations of the various places where the members had their collections on display for National Coin Week.

Sam Rosenberg and Lee Goodman set up their display at the main branch of the Union Library depicting coins of the Civil War Era. Richard Rackin has his collection at Washington School in Union, and the Linden display is at the Community Bank and belongs to Irv Klein. The First National Bank of Roselle has an exhibit by Sam Fidel and Charles Schaub, and Charles Phillips has his collection at the Colonial Savings in Roselle Park. Don Swayze has his at the Union County Trust and the Elizabeth Public Library and it deals with coins of historical events in world history. Typical is the coinage of Mexico, with coins of Mexico under Spain, Mexico as a republic, Mexico as an empire, etc.

Another topic to hit the floor was that of a party to celebrate the clubs first anniversary at the next meeting. A dollar was contributed by all those present and any other person wishing to attend may pay his dollar at the door.

The monthly auction was held by Ken Morrison with varied amounts of good lots on the block.

The club wishes to extend a hearty welcome to anyone in the area who would like to become a member in this fast growing organization. Anyone who changes a dollar at the corner store and can take the time to look at the dates on his change can become a collector. The meetings are held on the last Tuesday of every month at the Polish National Home, 300 Roselle Street, Linden, New Jersey at eight o'clock.

Italy Scene Of Gold Rush

SONDRIO, Italy — A great gold rush is under way here.

The rush started when several persons found gold and bronze coins dating back to the 16th and 17th centuries near the River Adda.

So far, about 300 coins have been found in gravel on the river bank and experts said many of them were pure gold. There is no indication of where the coins came from.

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By some curious mistake, the serial numbers, U.S. seals and the signatures of former Treasurer Ivy Baker Priest and Treasury Secy. Robert B. Anderson were printed upside down.

He bought the bill for \$225 and now is open "to any and all offers."

SILBERMAN took it to a bank, where officials said they thought it worth "several thousands of dollars."

A Market st. coin collector last night offered \$5000, he said.

"I never thought I'd be so lucky," Silberman said, "but I think it's worth more than \$5000."

"THE MAN I bought it from said he thought it was the only one in existence."

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Silberman, who lives at 195 25th ave., plan to get married in the fall.

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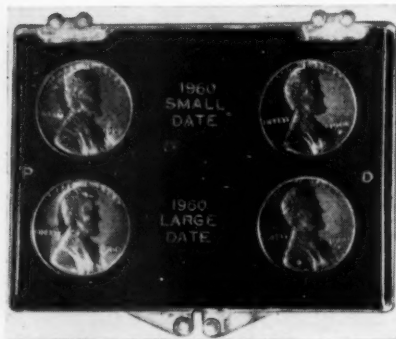
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Woman Nominated To Head Mint

WASHINGTON — President Kennedy Wednesday nominated Mrs. Fern V. Miller of Platteville, Colo., to be superintendent of the Denver Mint.

An active Democrat, the 68-year-old woman was secretary

of the Platteville Consolidated Schools from 1939 to 1948. Mrs. Miller's job, which requires confirmation by the Senate, carries an annual salary of \$13,730.

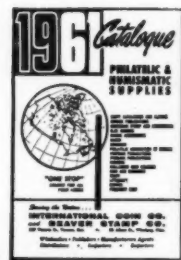
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Con Artists Work Stamp Racket, Add Twist

—BY MICKEY MacDOUGALL
The Newark Star-Ledger

If someone tried to sell you a counterfeit two-cent stamp for \$10 you'd probably think him crazy as well as crooked. That is, you would if you weren't a stamp collector. For only in the curious world of philately is such a strange financial transaction possible. And, as cliché mongers would say, thereby hangs a tale.

Back in 1894, a Chicago forger marketed large numbers of phony two-cent stamps, thousands of which did postal duty. It was an exceedingly clever imitation. The color was okay, the perforations matched, the design was perfect. However, there was minute differences. The genuine stamp was on soft paper, the counterfeit on hard; the original measured 19x22 millimeters, the copy 21x24.

Perhaps the fraud never would have been discovered if the ordinary two-cent stamps of 1894 hadn't been issued in three different types. To the inexperienced eye, they all looked alike, but stamp enthusiasts could easily spot the variations in design. Type I was much rarer than Types II and III, and philatelists were always on the lookout for it. Unfortunately for the counterfeiter, his private reproductions were all of the scarce Type I.

SUDDEN INCREASE

Alert collectors noticed the sudden increase in these hitherto seldom-seen stamps; noticed too the tiny differences in paper and size. Postal inspectors were notified, and the hunt was on. Eventually they crashed in on the counterfeiter and, after a struggle, put him in handcuffs.

After the trial the stock of fraudulent stamps was burned, the plates destroyed. And the government took further steps to prevent a repetition of the crime. Up till then all postage stamps had been printed on unwatermarked paper. In 1895, the then current series was re-issued on paper watermarked U.S.P.S.—United States Postal Service. As far as the authorities were concerned, the case was closed.

Not so for philatelists. For them the story was just beginning. Immediately there was a feverish search for letters franked with the phony stamp. Although many thousands must have passed through the mails, less than one hundred were recovered. Prices rose accordingly. Covers with the genuine stamps could be bought anywhere for a few cents; those with fake brought \$5 or more. Why the mad scramble? Or-

dinary collectors wanted an interesting addition to their albums; specialists needed the counterfeit for their reference libraries; noncollectors consider it an unusual oddity. Whatever the reasons, interest never died. Time passed, the price rose constantly. A few years back, when dealers had the "Chicago Counterfeit" in stock, they asked a minimum of \$50. Then the government reentered the case.

The powers-that-be decided to enforce the law prohibiting the possession of any counterfeit stamp, used or unused. Some dealers surrendered their stock voluntarily, a few unscrupulous dealers hid the phonies. All reputable auction houses refused to handle the questionable merchandise. Anyone desiring to dispose of the Chicago Counterfeit now has to do so with a wink and a whisper.

As always, under such conditions, the sharpshooters moved in. I recently witnessed a rather clever swindle with an absolute original twist.

I, too, am a paper chaser, hence familiar with the facts outlined. So I wasn't too surprised when, while attending a stamp auction, the stranger sitting on my right handed me a cover and asked if I knew what it was.

The letter was postmarked Chicago, July 14, 1894. "Could be the Chicago Counterfeit?" I asked.

IT'S FOR SALE

"It is," said the stranger, "and it's for sale. You can have it for ten bucks."

I shook my head, handed the cover back. But the peddler wasn't so easily discouraged. He produced a millimeter gauge.

"You can measure the stamp," he urged. "You'll see it is the real thing. It's larger than the normal stamp."

"I don't doubt it," I replied, "but I have no use for it. I collect mint stamps, not covers."

Obviously disappointed, he pocketed his treasure, moved to another seat. I again centered my attention on the auctioneer.

When the sale was over I started to leave. At the entrance a happy collector was showing a new acquisition to some friends. I joined the group. It was the same cover I'd been offered an hour before. Why was the owner so eager to get rid of it, I wondered. A little patience and he could have gotten \$20 instead of \$10. Such a bargain, secured from a total stranger, is always suspect. I asked if I might examine the letter.

LOOKED TOO SHARP

The stamp had a washed-out appearance, but even so the

printing looked too sharp for lithography. I studied the design, and the tell-tale mark practically leaped out at me. "Did you measure this stamp?" I asked.

"Sure did," said the collector. "It's the right size."

"Maybe so," I said, "but just the same you've been stung. This isn't a counterfeit, it's a counterfeit of a counterfeit. The stamp has been removed, soaked in water, stretched and replaced."

The collector retrieved his purchase, examined it carefully. "Looks all right to me," he said. "How can you tell?"

"All the phony stamps were Type I," I explained. "This one is Type III."

The dejected buyer looked again, and nodded. Then he dashed out of the room, obviously on the trail of the swindler. Whether or not he caught the gyp artist, I don't know. But suppose he did? What could he do? I know it's illegal to sell a counterfeit stamp as genuine, but is it unlawful to see a genuine stamp as counterfeit?

THE LEWIS WETZEL COIN

CLUB was recently organized at New Martinsville, West Virginia. Many collectors from New Martinsville and the surrounding area were present. This club was organized with the help of Mr. Andy Selensky, president of the Mountaineer Coin Club of Morgantown, West Virginia.

Officers elected were: Mr. John Iams, President; Mr. Gail Halterman, Vice President; Mrs. Tex Cozart, Secretary; Mr. Alton Jolliffe, Treasurer. Meetings are held at the Parkway Center the last Monday of every month.

New members are welcome.
MRS. TEX COZART, Sec.

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BISON CITY COIN CLUB

The first annual joint stamp and coin show conducted by the Plewacki Post Stamp Society and the Bison City Coin Club of Buffalo was held on March 24-25-26 at the Adam Plewacki Post of the American Legion. This is the largest post in New York State. There were ten coin bourses and twelve stamp tables operating. The overall theme of the show was the Civil War, with numerous exhibits of Civil War relics on display. There were also numerous exhibits of stamps and coins. About 18,000 people passed through the show during the three days. On Saturday afternoon an auction was conducted by John J. Pittman of Rochester, New York. He is a member of the Board of Governors of the A.N.A. Ninety people sat down at the banquet on Saturday night in the spacious dining room. Mr. Pittman exhibited his fine collection of rare coins of Poland in the court of honor. The top award for coin exhibits went to G. Edwin Seil of Buffalo for his fine showing of mint freaks. There was no admission charge for the show and we believe that we have set some sort of a record for attendance.

The Siouland Coin Collectors Ass'n of Sioux City, Ia. will hold their first annual coin convention in Sioux City at the Shearaton Martin Hotel, Sept. 29-30, Oct. 1. The indications are that this will be one of the largest conventions in the area. Reservations for bourse tables have already started to arrive. We also anticipate an exceptionally large auction which will be held in various sessions in order to be non-conflicting with the bourse tables.

All correspondence should be addressed to John T. Alvey, General Chairman, 2401 Lakeport, Sioux City 6, Iowa.

Noticed your front page article of last month on the "Double D", 1960 cent. This prompted me to pick up some cents and after going thru approximately 90,000 coins in the past three weeks, (and just about going blind doing it,) I came up with some startling finds. I have inclosed what I believe to be nine (9) different varieties of the "Double D" cent. By using a strong glass, one can see the "ghost" "D" all over the place. Looks to me like a sloppy job of striking the mint mark. I have found over a roll of these coins and I have held back two other coins that may be varieties 10 and 11.

I am sending the coins to you in case you found this interesting enough to let the public know. I know I have been quite surprised with what I have found. Other than the "Double D's" that I found, there was nothing else of much value in the 90,000 cents. The Pontiac area is no place for one to find key coins.

I have enclosed with the coins a self-addressed and stamped envelope. **George Russell Bassett Pontiac, Mich.**

After three years of faithful subscribing to Coin Press, come this summer, I thought I had better get an informal note off to you. At this time, I would like to express my congratulations on a fine job of putting out Coin Press twice a month. It seems that your publication has become more interesting and enjoyable to me since you switched to semi-monthly!

In your March 25, 1961 edition, you advertised that my three year subscription to Coin Press would get me one Coin Press Magazine binder free. If this offer holds good still (I ment to write this letter just after I saw your ad in the March 25th issue, but before I got around to it, my next issue arrived, much to my delight). Please accept my enclosed \$7.50 check for my additional subscription for three years. Then please send me the binder to house my past years of Coin Press, which I have kept.

Congratulations on your wonderful magazine again, and good luck for a bright future.

A satisfied subscriber,
Allen Koljonen, San Diego, Cal.
Editor's Note: We still have a few more binders left.



Editor's note: Convention officers for future notice listings in this column please forward all information to editor.

Columbus Numismatic Society will hold its Summer Convention on June 2 & 4th at the Neil House, Columbus, Ohio. Convention chairman, Dwain Lockwood, 2815 Indianola Ave., Columbus 14, Ohio.

Annual Connecticut Coin Convention, Saturday, June 17, 1961, 9 A.M. to 10 P.M., Hotel Garde, 4 Columbus Ave., New Haven, Conn. Philip Rosenbaum, Chairman, 1544 Walton Ave., N.Y.C. 52, N.Y. Conn. Coin Club—Host.

The Annual State Convention of the South Dakota Coin & Stamp Club will be held in Webster, South Dakota at the National Guard Armory, June 17 & 18, 1961. Convention Chairman is J. R. Fiksdal, P. O. Box 220, Webster, South Dakota.

American Numismatic Association 70th Annual Convention, August 16-19, 1961, Atlanta Biltmore Hotel, 817 W. Peachtree, N.E., Atlanta 83, Georgia. George M. Todd, General Chairman, 106 W. Paces Ferry Rd., N.W., Atlanta 5, Ga.

The Mid-Hudson Coin Show will be held on Sunday, June 18th, 1961 at 10:00 A.M.-10:00 P.M. at the Stuyvesant-Kingston Hotel, Fair & John Streets, Kingston, N.Y. General Chairman is Bernie Ritchie, RD 1, Box 252, Saugerties, New York.

**PLAN TO ATTEND
MEET FRIENDS
VIEW EXHIBITS
AND
ENJOY YOURSELF!**

The Rockford Area Coin Club will hold its 5th Annual Coin Show at the La Fayette Hotel on Sunday, May 28th. There will be exhibits, bourse, and an auction. For further information contact: Ralph Winquist, Jr., 1004 - "C" Street, Rockford, Illinois.

The Furniture City Coin Club, High Point, N.C. will hold a coin convention in the High Point High School Cafeteria, July 29th and 30th, 1961. W. A. Sparks, Sec'y., Box 53, High Point, N.C.

4th Annual Newark Coin Convention, Saturday, September 9, 1961 — 9 A.M. to 10 P.M., Hotel Carlton, 22 E. Park St., Newark, N. J. Philip Rosenbaum, Chairman, 1544 Walton Ave., N.Y.C. 52, N.Y. Newark Coin Club — Host.

2nd Annual Bergen County Coin Show will be held September 30, 1961 at Bergen Mall Auditorium, Paramus, N.J. General Chairman: Walter Stefanacci, 27 Roosevelt Ave., Clifton, N.J.

The Empire State Numismatic Association (ESNA) will hold the Fall Convention on Friday, October 20-22nd. at the Sheraton Syracuse Inn, located at Exit 35 of the N.Y. State Thruway. Edward A. Park is Gen'l. Chairman. P.O. Box 1394, Syracuse, N. Y.

The Third Annual Convention of the Virginia Numismatic Ass'n. will be held on Saturday & Sunday, September 9th & 10th, 1961 at the Monticello Hotel, Charlottesville, Virginia.

CANADIAN COIN PATTERNS

By Earl A. McBrayer
498 Sunland Drive
Cincinnati 38, Ohio

Last week I was asked if it would be better to order Canadian coins from Canadian coin dealers or U.S. coin dealers. This sounds like a facetious question to which the obvious answer is, "order them from the most reliable source with the most reasonable prices." However the numismatist who asked the question was asking in all sincerity. He was greatly concerned about customs duties and possible "red tape" involved in ordering coins from a foreign country.

Some of our newer converts to the enjoyable hobby of collecting Canadian material might be interested to know, along with the coins mailed to collectors in the United States from Canadian sources. The only "red tape" might be the signing of a receipt when the coins are received by registered mail. This is no more a problem, of course, than signing for insured mail from U.S. senders.

There are many reliable dealers who handle good investment and collecting material in the Canadian decimal series, as indicated in COIN PATTERNS, who are located in the United States and Canada. It is not the policy of COIN PRESS to recommend an individual firm, large or small, at the expense of all others but we can say that we have not received any complaints against any of the regular advertisers of Canadian material in this publication.

Something we haven't emphasized but certainly should mention is that the collector who has no interest in Canadian coins with our advertisers for other numismatic items. Many Canadian dealers carry other worthwhile medals tokens, and coins in addition to their regular Canadian stock specialties. One extremely reliable Canadian firm carries nothing but Canadian material but this is the exception rather than what the collector will generally find to be true.

The other day we received a letter calling for assistance in locating a publication for a sincere student of Canadian numismatics. Perhaps one of our readers can help us with information as to how a copy of the following might be bought or borrowed:

"Canadian Blacksmith Tokens," by Howland Wood. (Note: Howland Wood was an American who wrote articles on Canadian tokens years ago.)

Drop us a line at the address at the beginning of this article if you know anything which might help this inquiring numismatist.

MORE ON DOUBLE D'S.

Dear Editor:

Last fall while visiting a friend, I read in the Coin News paper of the 1960 double struck D. I had already found some and had shown them to other collectors. We started saving them, then we thought they were of some importance.

I am sending you two other pennies that you have not mentioned in your writings of the double struck D's. If you will notice with the aid of a magnifier, the light D is not directly in line with the heavily struck one but on one coin it is slightly above and on the other is to the right and below. I have found about a half roll of each of these strikes.

We enjoy your magazine.

—Mrs. Donovan Dahlgren
Sweet Home, Oregon

TO ISSUE OFFICIAL CIVIL WAR MEDAL

The official Civil War Centennial Medal will be issued in both bronze and silver during the last week of May and will be available in coin departments of department stores, hobby and other stores, it is announced by Robert Friedberg, president of the Coin and Currency Institute, New York, which has been appointed sole distributor of this medal.

The medal will be available in bronze at \$4.00 and there will also be 25,000 serially numbered silver medals at \$30.00. The medal, which is 2½ inches in size, is issued under the authority of the Civil War Centennial Commission, which was created by an act of Congress.

On one side of the medal are portraits of General Ulysses S. Grant and Robert E. Lee with the quotations "Let us Have Peace" and "Consciousness of Duty Faithfully Performed."

The reverse side of the medal contains the Seal of the Civil War Centennial Commission.

One of the country's outstanding sculptors, Joseph Emile Renier, N.A., was selected to prepare the sculptured models for each side of the medallion and the Medallic Art Company, N.Y. was selected to strike this medallion.

The approval of the designs and the sculptor's models was made by the Fine Arts Committee of the Civil War Centennial Commission headed by Eric Gugler, distinguished architect, Paul Manship, Walker Hancock, Lee Lawrie and Mrs. William Penn Cresson, distinguished American sculptors. In addition, the designs were approved by the Fine Arts Commission, Washington, D.C.

Karl S. Betts is executive director of the Civil War Centennial Commission.

The Civil War Centennial Medal is being distributed close to Memorial Day as Memorial Day was started in 1868 and is celebrated in the North on May 30 and in the South on April 26, May 10, or June 3. Check back cover of magazine for photo.



RIPPLED CENTS

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed find photograph of an odd looking coin which looked like a double strike.

Am sending a stamped envelope and wondered if you could tell me if it has any value and also return pictures.

Enjoy your magazine very much and look forward to getting it.

Yours truly,

—Warren Reynolds

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Pontiac "Mich." Coin Club names officers for the year ending May 1, 1962. They are: President, Arthur Webster; Vice President, Arthur Smith; Treasurer, Bert Hotchkiss; Secretary, Clarence Cue.

Board of Governors are: Kenneth McLain and John Reiner. Governors for the Michigan State Numismatic Society are: Bert Hotchkiss and Walter Wilson.

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N. J. DEALERS' ASS'N.

A Bourse will be held at the close of the business portion of the next regular meeting of the North Jersey Stamp & Coin Dealers' Association. This will be the first of a series of Bourses that are being incorporated into the activities of the Association. All dealers in the area whether members or not are cordially invited to attend. The meeting place is the Fair Lawn Stamp & Coin Co., 6-11 Fair Lawn Avenue, Fair Lawn, N. J. The date is Tuesday, June 6th and the time 8:30 P.M.

Memberships in the Association are still open.

The May meeting of the Association was held on Tuesday, May 2nd at the shop of the Ramapo Stamp & Coin Co., Inc., 72 East Main Street, Ramsey, N. J.

Seventeen members and guests were present and many items and ideas of interest were discussed. Two new member firms were admitted, R. Dresel of West Englewood and Trio Stamps of East Orange represented by R. Coda and L. Davenport.

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First Annual Show of the Southwestern Oregon Numismatic Association will be held at the Courtel Coos Bay, in Coos Bay, Oregon, on September 23-24-25, with the Coos County Coin Club hosting the affair.

Composed of five clubs from throughout Southwestern Oregon, SONA is now in the process of electing officers. Charter clubs of the new group include Coos Bay, Grants Pass, Klamath Falls, Medford, and Roseburg.

Under proposed bylaws the host club for the next show will nominate a President, Vice President, and a Secretary-Treasurer to serve until the next show. Each of the other clubs will elect a board member to fill out the Board of Directors.

Dealer bourse space is available at \$15.00 for the three-day affair and is limited to 18 tables. Reservations may be made through Russell Stillman, P.O. Box 808, Coos Bay. Mr. Stillman is also in charge of exhibitions, general information and the banquet which will be held Saturday evening, Sept. 24. Tickets for the banquet are priced at \$2.50 each.

Out-of-townners desiring hotel or motel accommodations are requested to contact Ralph Crume at the Courtel Coos Bay for reservations.

"FOREIGN COINS"

For many of us looking at ten neatly mounted twenty dollar gold pieces can give you the thrill and satisfaction of true numismatics. When I first started out four years ago in coin collecting I too thought I could amass a fortune of scarce and rare coins, but as time went on I realized that if you are really devoted to numismatics you should not collect for any reason other than your own satisfaction and enjoyment at knowing you have amassed a collection that is interesting not only rare. You may say that your gold pieces, two, three, twenty, and fifty cent pieces are interesting and rare, but are they?? Can you honestly say a 1913 Liberty nickel is beautiful, or can you honestly say that paying \$500 for a rare coin can give you the satisfaction that your money was spent for something you will be able to show your grandchildren and say, "Isn't this dime beautiful?"

I have been collecting coins for four of my fourteen years and I too started as most youngsters start (and finish) with the Lincoln cents. After a while I found a dealer who sold minor foreign coins at reasonable prices and now in addition to my "pennies", nickels, dimes, and what have you I was collecting foreign coins. You ask your self, "What's this kid trying to prove, everyone knows that foreign coins are almost worthless", yes, my friends many foreign coins have very little monetary value but in true numismatic value they are worth more than can be put into money. Where else can you get coins with a monarch or a beautiful design on them for only a dime? The answer is in foreign coins, where else can you learn part of the history of a country? Again the answer is foreign coins. I would seriously doubt than any one can say that a set of cents all the way up to twenty dollar gold pieces can beat in interest, beauty, and in all around numismatic interest a good set of minor foreign coins.

—Howard B. Eisenberg
Chicago, Illinois

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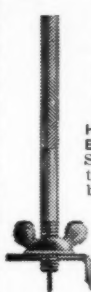
2 Double D's in 14 Rolls

I was reading the Coin Press Magazine on the 1960 Double "D" and reading that the odds of finding one of those 1960 Double "D" are about 4000 to 1. I found two of those in 14 rolls of unc. 1960-D cent. I also have three 1961-D cent with the line joining "6-1" together. I am curious to know if this is a freak or a mint error?

I also found a 1961 cent with a corner bush just like the one in 1960-D which I seen in the February 12 issue of the Coin Press Magazine.

Kindly let me know if anyone has located a coin like mine. Your magazine is getting more interesting each time and I enjoy it very much.

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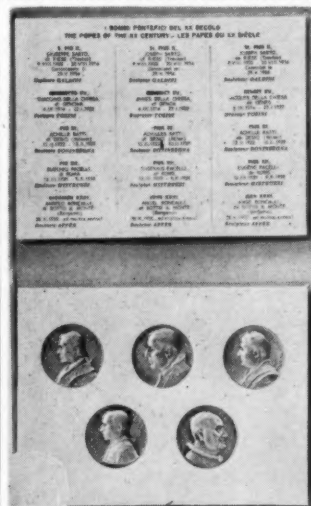
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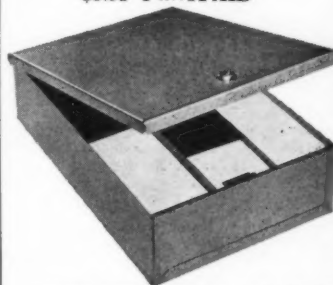
Stewart Gives Talk

The highlight of the April 18th meeting of the CALGARY COIN ASSOCIATION was a talk on Canadian tokens by Don M. Stewart which proved to be informative as well as interesting. Accompanying the talk were colored slides illustrating various tokens, also a fine display from the speaker's collection. We saw and heard about tokens from the early Wellingtons, used at a time when they were necessary to supplement an insufficient supply of small change to the modern day convenient trade pieces such as issued by dairies, bakeries, etc. President, Mr. Stewart has asked for volunteer speakers for our regular monthly meetings and would appreciate any offers that will contribute to the enjoyment of our growing membership, which is well past the 200 mark.

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WANTED: A 1931-S Lincoln, Fine. Will buy or trade if you prefer. Thank you. Loran Piege, 820 Broadway, Platteville, Wisconsin.



DOUBLE STRUCK 1946 CENT

I am a subscriber to your Coin Press Magazine and enjoy it very much.

I am enclosing photos of two coins which I think is worth while showing your readers. One coin is a 1946 P cent. It has an imprint of a second coin over it on the obverse and reverse side of coin. These imprints are in reverse to original coin.

The other coin is a 1928 D dime which has a blob on the reverse side of coin. This blob has two dark spots which are copper imbedded into it. After reading of the discoveries I decided to show mine which are only two of many I have found. Just wondering if there was any more of this type of coin found.

—Joseph Polakiewicz
6 Anka St., Manville, N. J.



NO, THIS IS NOT a new type of jig saw puzzle—these are some of the odd-shaped Japanese coins used many years ago. They're among the extensive, world-wide collection of M/Sgt. John G. Spadone, after service of three years in Japan.

The center item is known as knife money.
M/Sgt. Spadone is now stationed at the McGuire AFB, N. J.

Canada Mounties Get Counterfeit Coins

Literally thousands of Canadian coin and stamp collectors face possible prosecution under the Criminal Code sections dealing with counterfeit articles, states an account in the May 4 Toronto Daily Star submitted by N. A. Hayne of Nakina, Ont., Canada.

The business of buying, selling and collecting counterfeit coins and stamps has developed over a long period of years and is openly advertised in Canada, it continued.

But the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Toronto have made an unprecedented move. Armed with a search warrant, RCMP officers seized a 70-coin collection owned by Albert Rosen of the Toronto Coin Center. It is believed the first such seizure in Canadian history.

Faces No Charge—As yet he faces no charge. Crown counsels in Toronto are seeking leadership from Ottawa respecting possible prosecution.

Mr. Rosen said he has bought fake coins for more than ten years. He has used them during lectures and for comparison tests of genuine and counterfeit money.

Recently, he said, in his monthly bulletin, he offered the collection for sale. He hoped, he said, to get his investment back and to buy even better examples of phony coins.

When the RCMP made their seizure, they took envelopes listing the names of persons from whom Mr. Rosen had bought the coins.

A Satisfied Customer

I would like to take this opportunity to tell you how much I have enjoyed each issue, and I feel that I have learned much. I am not a collector for myself, but have started the collection for my granddaughter, but I feel I must know something about the subject in order to help her build her collection. I have purchased several books and guides, and of course look forward to The Coin Press for current and interesting facts. I read it all, articles, current finds and ads, and as I said, I feel I have learned more on the subject from your fine magazine, than from the books. I have also ordered coins from the ads, having them mailed to her direct, and her parents tell me I have been very lucky and the coins arrive, in all cases, graded higher than specified in the ad. I thought I would mention that fact, as I see so much written by dissatisfied customers, with graded coins not meeting specifications. I wanted folks to know there is, at least one who gets better than specified.

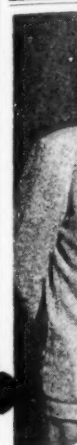
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St. Petersburg, Fla.

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PLANS CONTINUE FOR CENTENNIAL SOUVENIR COIN

Enthusiasm continues to mount as progress continues to be made for issuance of a centennial souvenir coin by the committee acting for the Southeastern Sierra Coin Club.

The two national historical features on the Inyo side and as well the two California historical values shown on the Mono side insures wide acceptance and distribution.

The committee has been highly commended by various merchants, civic groups and by the

Inyo County Board of Supervisors for donating their time without compensation and providing all funds necessary from within the committee in order that the Inyo-Mono area might have a centennial commemorative coin of high value.

The Inyo County Board of Supervisors also designated the coin as proposed by the Southeastern Sierra Coin Club Committee as the official coin to represent Inyo county as a bi-county centennial souvenir.

—(Contributed).



★ COIN COMMITTEE — Pictured here are members of the centennial souvenir coin committee of the Southeastern Sierra Coin Club and the official design emphasizing historical features of Inyo-Mono which will be used on the coin. Pictured standing (left to right) are H. Barney Barnett, publicity chairman; George Williams; (seated) John Lutz, and Harley Vincent, chairman. Mrs.

1961 REENGRAVED DATE

In your (From The Editor's Desk) column it was stated that any coin collector may at any time come up with a spectacular find. Well I have enclosed a Lincoln cent which may or may not be a spectacular find. It is a Lincoln cent with the date either double struck or reengraved, it is my belief it is double struck as the date so appears, also the last two letters in Liberty appear double, also looks like a double profile. If it is a major find you may illustrate it in your magazine and I would like to have credit for its find.

Also would like to congratulate you on your fine magazine which means coin collectors all over the country will get faster and better service, as a new subscriber to your magazine I regard it very highly. I will be waiting for your classification on my coin which I will want returned when you have finished with it.

—William J. Nadolny
Hartford 5, Conn.

Editor's Note: This is the first report of a 1961 oddity. The date is reengraved similar to the re-

engraved 1957-D cent. Reengraved and double struck are two different items.

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Gentlemen:

I have been a reader of Coin Press for several years and I thoroughly enjoy the articles, observations and comments.

Your articles on the 1960 and 1960-D pennies certainly is a first.

Looking through my 1960 D's, I came across a different type of penny. This also has a double "D" but it is on the right side. I am enclosing one of the 1960 D's to show you what it looks like.

I would appreciate if you would publish it in your magazine for interest to both yourself and to other collectors.

Best regards and keep up the good work.

Very truly yours,

Frank Sista

W. New York, N. J.

Editor's Note: A number of double D's have been reported, but they are not what is known as the perfect Double D — two distinct raised D's. Others known have light D to right or left.

PLAN TO ATTEND

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1878-8	4.00	1951-P	.50	1950-S	6.00	1955-D	1.25
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1880-CC	13.00	1952-PD	.25	1953-PD	.40	1958-P	.70
1881-PS	2.00	1952-S	.60	1953-S	.50	1958-D	.50
1881-CC	13.00	1953-PD	.25	1954-PDS	.40	1959-PD	.50
1882-PS	2.00	1953-S	.40	1955-P	.80	1960-PD	.50
83-84-P	2.00	1954-P	.35	1955-DS	.60	BU HALVES:	
83-84-D	2.25	1954-DS	.25	1956-PD	.25	34-35-P	4.25
1885-S	4.50	1955-PD	.25	1957-PD	.25	36-37-P	4.25
85-86-P	2.00	1955-S	.40	1958-PD	.25	41-42-S	4.25
1885-86-P	2.00	56-PD	.10	1959-PD	.25	1944-S	2.00
1885-S	2.25	57-PD	.10	1960-PD	.25	1945-S	2.00
87-88-P	2.00	58-PD	.10	BU QUARTERS:		1946-D	1.75
1887-S	6.00	59-PD	.10	1938-S	9.50	1946-S	2.50
1888-D	2.50	60-PD	.10	1939-S	15.00	1947-PD	1.50
1888-S	14.00	61-PD	.08	1940-S	2.50	1948-D	2.25
89-90-P	2.00	BU NICKELS:		1941-PS	2.00	1952-D	1.30
90-91-S	3.50	1910-P	7.00	1944-S	1.30	1953-P	2.50
1890-CC	8.00	same AU	4.00	1945-PD	.70	1953-D	1.20
1891-P	2.50	40-41-P	.75	1945-S	1.00	1953-S	1.50
1891-CC	7.00	1943-PD	1.25	1946-PD	.70	1954-PD	1.00
1892-CC	16.00	1943-S	1.00	1946-S	1.25	1954-S	1.20
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1896-S	45.00	1945-PS	1.00	1948-PS	.80	1957-PD	1.00
1897-S	4.00	1947-PD	.30	1948-D	.60	1958-PD	1.00
98-00-P	2.00	1947-S	.60	1949-P	4.50	1959-PD	.80
1899-P	5.00	1948-P	.40	1950-P	1.00	1960-PD	.80
1899-D	4.00	1948-D	.65	1950-S	1.75	SPECIAL:	
1900-S	7.50	1948-S	1.15	1952-PD	.75	BU CENTS 1944	
1901-S	15.00	1949-P	1.00	1953-PD	.60	THROUGH 1961	
02-03-P	2.00	1950-P	2.00	1953-S	.70	ALL MINTS \$11.	
1921-P	1.75	1950-D	6.00				
22-23-P	1.75	1951-P	.55				
22-D AU	1.50	1952-P	.60				
24-25-P	1.75	1952-S	.80				
1924-S	8.00	1953-PD	.45				
1926-S	4.00	1954-PDS	.40				
1927-S	13.00	1955-P	1.20				
BU 1878-P		1956PD	.35				
broken D on		1957-PD	.25				
reverse	\$10.00	1958-P	.40				
BU CENTS:		1958-D	.20				
1934-P	\$1.30	1959-P	.25				
1936-S	.95	1959-D	.15				
1939-S	.80	1960-PD	.15				
1942-S	1.00	BU DIMES:					
1944-PDS	.25	1941-S	1.00				
1945-PDS	.30	1942-D	.60				
1946-PDS	.25	1945-PD	.40				
1947-P	.60	1945-S	.45				
1947-D	.25	1946-PD	.45				
1947-S	.40	1947-P	1.50				
1948-PDS	.40	1947-D	1.00				

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1954-PDS	8.00
1955-PDS	7.00
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1958-PD	3.75
1959-PD	3.25
1960-PD	3.00
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CENTRAL STATES CONVENTION



A STAGE COACH BANDIT sought by Wells Fargo & Co. 100 years ago would have envied Irving Moskowitz of Detroit, who got away not only with the gold but with the stage driver's pistol and the rob-

bery notice as well. Wells Fargo relics which he values around \$20,000 are displayed by Moskowitz at Central States Numismatic society convention in Minnea-

1943 Copper Cent Up For Auction

Inflation hit the Twin Cities Friday.

Not the penny-ante rise-in-the-cost-of-living variety, but hog-wild, bare-faced speculation. They were selling money in Minneapolis — some of it for 300,000 times its face value.

The occasion was the opening sessions of the Central States Numismatic society convention in the Pick-Nicollet hotel, an event which annually lures the heavies of the coin collecting world from across the nation.

There was Irving Moskowitz, Detroit millionaire, whose coin displays stretched along an entire wall of the hotel's junior ballroom. It was buttressed at one end by a collection of Wells Fargo gold valued around \$20,000 and at the other by a tiny revolving case Moskowitz said contained about \$60,000 worth of coins — perhaps a dozen in all.

There was Leo Young of Oakland, Calif., who will auction off a quarter million dollars worth of coins before the convention ends Sunday.

90 DEALERS

There were dealers — more than 90 of them — from two nations. Thirty-seven exhibitors

had filled 140 big display cases with another quarter million dollars worth of money.

There were also nearly as many Pinkerton detectives on duty as there were exhibitors.

A spokesman for the host club, the Northwest Coin club of St. Paul and Minneapolis, estimated 50,000 would view the public displays by Sunday. Several thousand coin buffs were expected to register for the convention.

Among the exhibitors were St. Paulites, Niels Nielsen, 540 Sherburne ave., who has been a collector 25 years, and Hjalmar Carlson, 1434 Charles ave., one of the four living founders of the host club.

The show was not without its bit of controversy. Among the coins to be sold at auction were two 1943 copper cents—allegedly minted in a year when all the other pennies were made of a silvery zinc compound. Most collectors, including all those who don't own one of the copper cents, claim the 1943 coppers are fakes.

But one of the country's top numismatists, T. W. Simmons, a Lexington, Texas, banker, claims his 1943 copper cent, minted in Philadelphia, is au-

thentic, and he has the papers to prove it.

Solidly behind Simmons is Young, who has placed a value of \$2,000 on the coin. Young says his other 1943 copper, minted in San Francisco, is even rarer.

According to Young: "... Undoubtedly a copper planchet (coin-size metal blank on which the features are stamped) ... did get into the hopper during the 1943-S mintage. Values on the rare 1943 copper cents have been quoted at various times and places from \$2,000 to \$25,000."

But in the coin market, as in any other market, the value of a coin is only what a buyer is willing to pay for it. Young estimates the San Francisco copper penny will bring at least \$3,000 when it's auctioned at 1 p.m. today.

Along with the four-figure prices for the serious collectors, there are some two figure prices for the duffer. At a dealer's table he can buy a handful of Indian-head pennies for 10 cents apiece, or a roll of shiny, uncirculated Lincoln pennies for even less.

LAST MINUTE FLASH!

The prices realized: 1943-S copper cent — \$1005; 1943-P copper cent — \$1000.



The Excelsior Springs Coin Club, together with the Excelsior Springs Chamber of Commerce, is sponsoring a medallion commemorating the 80th anniversary of Excelsior Springs, Missouri.

They believe this will become a rare and perhaps valuable collectors' item.

The following details and information apply to the medallion:

1. Mintage — 10,000 (Note — only 3,000 of these can be called Gem uncirculated, having been packaged by the manufacturer in heat sealed "poly" bags).
2. Metal — Bronze.
3. Designer — David Pence.
4. Obverse —

The name Excelsior Springs, Missouri, encircling the entire medallion clearly shows to all that our City is known around the world. The words "in the Valley of Vitality" in curved crescent signifies our City is nestled in a valley, overflowing with health and happiness. In the center of the medallion the Hall of Waters represents the center of our City and is a monument to the health giving water found here. This building was built with funds furnished by the United States Government. The two fountains represent the free flowing mineral waters and the four streams from them each represent one of the different kinds of mineral water found in Excelsior Springs, and no other place in the world.

5. THE UNIQUE DATE: 1881/1961.

The dates must be an omen of good luck. The dates, with their shadows, mean that it is possible to read the top line from left to right, the second line from right to left, either right side up or upside down, or even by using a mirror. This phenomenon will not happen again for another 4,048 years; or, the year 6009. And this last happened in 1881.

The price of the Gem Uncirculated medallion will be \$1.50 each, two for \$2.50 and five for \$6.00. They will be sent post-paid and there is a limit of 5 per order. Send remittances with orders to the Excelsior Springs Coin Club, P.O. Box 123, Excelsior Springs, Missouri. Money orders or certified checks preferred.

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S	1.50			S	1.00		9.00
D	1.50			D	.50		1.85
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S	.75			S	1.00	3.00	5.50 8.00
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1921	4.50			1951	.30	.45	.85
S	6.90			S	1.00	2.50	7.00
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1923	1.00	7.00		1952	.30	.55	.80
S	.40	1.20		S	.30	.40	2.00
D	1.50			D		.25	.65
1924	1.25			1953	.25		.70
S	.35			S	.20		.75
D	1.10			D	.20	.30	.65
1925	1.60	6.00		1954	.30	.40	.55
S	.35			S	.20	.30	.40 .65
D	3.00	12.00		D		.35	.55
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S	.35	.75		S	.20	.45	1.20
D	1.75			D	.20	.45	1.00
1928	.30	.75		1956	.40	.80	1.40
S	1.00			D	.20	.30	.40
D	1.60	5.00		1957	.20	.30	.40
1929	.35			D		.30	.40
S	.50	1.00		1958	.20	.30	.45
D	.50			D	.25	.35	.50
1930	.35			1959	.20	.25	.35
S	1.50			D	.15	.20	.30
1931	.85	4.75		1960			.20
S	1.75	4.75		D			.20
D	.30	.70		COMPLETE SET UNC.			
1934	.40	.90		(all MM)			
D	.20	.70		1946 thru 1960 \$42.00			
1935	.25			1951 FESTIVAL OF BRITAIN			
S	.45	2.00		PROOF SET			
D	.20	.40		IN PLASTIC			
1936	.20	1.20		HOLDER \$24.50			
S	.40	1.75		1953 ELIZABETH II CORON-			
D	.20	.50		ATION PROOF SET			
1937	.30	.90		IN PLASTIC			
S	.30	1.00	3.00	HOLDER \$29.50			
D	.20	.50		OR			
1938	.35			BOTH OF THE ABOVE			
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D	.20	.50		We pay postage and insurance			
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S	.20	.90		5-day return privilege.			
D	.20	.40	1.60				
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S	.20	.60					
D	.20	.40	.75 1.00				
1941	.20	.40	1.50				
S	.20	.40	1.00				
D	.20	.40	.75				
1942	.20	.40	.55 .75				
S	.20	.40	1.25				
D	.20	.40	.55 .75				
1943	.20	.40	.55 .75				
S	.20	.40	.55 .75				
D	.20	.40	.55 .75				
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UNION NUMISMATIC CLUB

Dear Sirs:

I thought you would like to know that I have started a coin club. It is called UNION NUMISMATIC CLUB. We have just started it and do not have many members, so we are having a membership drive. We do not have dues.

This club is for grades 5 through 9 for Union County only. We also hope to join up with The Union County Coin Club. Our club will deeply appreciate it if you would put something in your coin magazine about our club.

Richard Lubman, President
1572 Mulford Ave.,
Union, N.J.

NEW CLUB FORMED AT DERBY, CONNECTICUT

A new club namely the "Valley Coin Club" was formed in Derby, Connecticut in May. Fifty eight members signed up at the first meeting. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President, Joseph S. Sember; Vice President, William J. Riordan; Treasurer, Emil Bures; Curator and Historian—William J. Dunne; Secretary, Loretto Eaton Sember of 301 Roosevelt Dr., Derby, Conn.

The meetings will be held twice a month.

JOIN A COIN CLUB (Directory)

Several letters have been received requesting the locations of Coin Clubs near the locality of the writers. The Editor of CPM would like to set up a directory of all available Coin clubs in the country for our readers and new collectors' convenience. We request secretaries to forward the following information to the Editor for future listings. Club name, address, and meeting night.

Calico Coin Club — Meets fourth Monday each month — Calif. Electric Power Comany Bldg., 800 East Main St., Barstow, Calif.

Union County Coin Club—Meets fourth Tuesday of each month at 8:00 p.m.—Polish National Hall, Roselle St., Linden, N.J.

Newark Coin Club—Meets second Tuesday of each month—Essex Hotel, Newark, N.J.

Middlesex County Coin Club — Meets third Wednesday of each month — Elk's Club, Metuchen, N.J.

N.J. Numismatic Society—Meets second Thursday of each month —Military Park Hotel, Newark, N.J.

Brooklyn Coin Club—Meets first Wednesday of each month —Granada Hotel, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Albany Numismatic Society — Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month—Institute of History & Arts, Albany, N.Y.

Mid-Hudson Numismatic—Meets first and third Thursdays of each month—Saugerties, N.Y.

Francis Spinner Coin Club — Meets first and third Mondays of each month — Citizen's National Bank, Frankfort, N.Y.

Cornbelt Coin Club—Meets second Wednesday of each month—Town Hall, Greene, Iowa.

NEW STAMFORD COIN CLUB

The organizational meeting was held on Wednesday, May 10, at the Eagles Club, 688 Main St. in Stamford. The Club is to be known as the Stamford Coin Club. Its meetings will be held monthly, the second Wednesday of every month, at the above location at 8:00 p.m. Officers elected were as follows: President, John Tenca; Vice-President, Gene Howard; Secretary, Mrs. Grace Brandt; Treasurer, John Callahan; Sergeant-at-Arms, Gary Fairbanks.

The Club is open to anyone over 16 years of age interested in numismatics. The purpose of the club will be to promote interest, good ethics and fellowship in numismatics. A wide variety of programs is anticipated. All those interested are cordially invited to attend the monthly meetings, and new members will be most welcome.

FOR TRADE

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FOR EACH CIRCULATED 50-D nickel sent, I'll return 11 different Barber dimes or 5 different Barber quarters or 2 different Barber halves plus a Barber quarter or 2 rolls of 1960-D small date pennies XF-AU. Many trades. ANA 34432, Donald Craite, 14950 East Jefferson, Detroit 15, Mich. May 29

FOR EACH \$1.00 CATALOG value Redbook you can send. I will send you 10 all different Wooden Nickels. Traders write. P.O. Box 112, Evansville, Indiana. Oct. '61

HAVE 1961 MINT Sealed proof sets to trade. Want key or semi-key Lincolns; common gold; 1955 or 1958 proof sets. Alan Rutenbeck, Baldwin, Iowa. May 29

INDIANS, GOOD 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1895, 1897. Any 5 for each 1910-S, 1911-S, 1912-S, 1914-S. Send to Bob Jackson, Plain City, Ohio. June 29

TRADE MICRO 1945-S Dime for fine or better 1950-D nickel plus stamped envelope. Better nickels get better dimes. Return privilege. GEM, Box 2603, Honolulu, Hawaii. May 20

1950 "D" NICKEL, Fine for 3 large cents. Roll 1939 "D" Lincolns fine, for 15 large cents good or better. Ralph Lee, 1004 N. Spring, Evansville, Indiana. May 20

WILL TRADE 1960 PROOF Sets or 1955-S cent rolls for 35 mixed Indian cents. I. Doktor, 5028 W. Pico Blvd., Los Angeles 19, Calif. May 29

EXCHANGE 1960 Mexico Independence silver commemorative for 12 good Indian head cents. No culls. Cash \$1.50. William Sickler, 10309 Newport, El Paso, Texas. May 22

FOR TRADE: JEFFERSON P Nickles - circulated 1938 to 1961 (except 1950 & 1955-P nickles) 1 roll 40 nickles for 1939-D and 1950-D nickle or 2 1960-P 1¢ BU small dates. —Mayors Coin Shop, 1 E. Chestnut Street, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. July 6

WILL TRADE RARE 1860-O Dime very good for any \$3.00 gold piece in V.F. to Ex. F. Larry Cohn, 7 Vanness Road, Binghamton, New York. June 6

TRADE NEW Typewriters, most makes, want all year's proofs, mint, BU rolls, unc. sealed. Dollar value as per price trend value. Herron's, 6525 Van Nuys Blvd., Van Nuys, California. June 6

I'LL SEND YOU 25 Different Buffalo nickels, AG-VF for any proof set you send me Paul Reitmair, 916 Crawford St., Bethlehem, Penna. May 20

TRADE TREATED LEGIBLE DATE Buffaloes all dates for United States or Canadian coins reasonable trade prices. Don Schryver, 1221 North Garfield, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

TRADE FOR GIFT FOR WIFE, mother, bride Life's new giant picture cook book value \$13.95, make offer. Melvin Cohen, 105-07 66 Ave. Forest Hills 75, N. Y.

TRADE 1 XF, AU 1960D Small date for 1939D, 6 for 1933D Lincolns. J. ALVEY, 2401 Lakeport, Sioux City 6, Iowa.

TRADE 1 ROLL MIXED Indians good for roll 1939D or 1/2 roll 1933D Lincolns. No culls. Write first. J. Alvey, 2401 Lakeport, Sioux City 6, Iowa.

1 ROLL BRILL. UNC. 1960D Small date cent in tubes for 50 good Indian head cents, no damaged coins accepted. —Woehler's Coins-Stamp, Garnett, Kansas. July 6

FOR TRADE

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TRADE GOLD \$1 - \$20, Proof Sets, 1936-1961, Unc. Rolls. WANTED: Commemoratives, Rolls, Gold, 1/2¢, 1¢, 3¢, 1/2 dimes, \$1, 20¢. Polakas, 218 Berry, Brooklyn 11, New York. Aug. 29

1938-D JEFFERSON NICKEL Very Good to fine for 5 Canadian cents 1920 to 1930. Ed Milanowski, 1111 St. Clair, Ashland, Wisc.

TRADE 2 ROLLS 1960D Small date cents XF, BU for 19 pieces Circulated 1960P Small date. J. Alvey, 2401 Lakeport, Sioux City 6, Iowa.

WILL TRADE 15 INDIANS VG for one 1911S or one 1924D Lincoln VG. 10 Indians for one 1913S, 1914S, 1915S. Bob Jackson, Plain City, Ohio. July 6

TRADE 1907-H U. F. Large Canadian cent for 1858 Fine large Canadian cent. Send coin with first letter. Dennis Ropiak, 2854 E. Mayme Adrian, Michigan.

WILL TRADE 2 Rolls 60-D Small date unc. rolls for 1, 15-S nickel fine. R. M. Robinson, Sherman Mills, Maine.

TRADE 15 of my 1960 Proof sets for one 1909S-VDB cent V.G., 18 for fine Ronald Neuhauser, 1935 Rutherford, Chicago 35, Illinois.

SEND ONE 1931-S CENT F. or better and receive three 1960 or 1961 proof sets (your choice). Ronald Neuhauser, 1935 Rutherford, Chicago 35, Illinois.

HAVE 1960 and 1961 Proof sets to trade for key and semi-key Lincoln cents or 1916-D dime. Make offer. Ronald Neuhauser, 1935 Rutherford, Chicago 35, Illinois.

TRADE UNCIRCULATED 1885-CC \$1.00 for 1916-S 50¢ Fine + or 1916-D 10¢ Fine +. Write before sending. J. Esposito, 2649 Alcazar Dr., W. Hollywood, Fla. A.N.A. 40-581 Also.

TO TRADE For Proof Set 1921-D Morgan Sil. Dollar - 1960 1959 Canada Sil. Dollar - 1961. Lincoln cents: 1961-P 15¢ each or \$7.50 roll. 1960-D, 1960-P, 1961-D \$1.00. Add 25¢ postage. Wheeler's Coins Box 54, Ava, Mo.

FOR SALE

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BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED Dollars - 1885S, 1891S, 1899P each \$3.75. 1878 7/8 - \$4.65; 1878-CC - \$4.25. 1880-CC, 1885-CC \$13.25. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Compare. Richy Kisluk, Coe Lane, Ansonia, Conn. A.N.A.

B.U. SILVER DOLLARS 1901P \$14.75 19-21-P (Morgan) \$2.00 1922-P \$2.25. Buying Key Coins, cents to dollars. Send list and price first letter. Louis Drucker, 915 47 Street, Brooklyn 19, N. Y.

SILVER DOLLAR SPECIAL! Extra Fine \$1.75 each: 1887-O, 1890-O, 1891-O, 1896-O, 1897-O. All 5 postpaid \$8.00. Free price list. R. Sonders, 22 Emrick, Newport News, Virginia. July 6

LINCOLNS G-F. 1916S, 1917S, 1918S, 19-20S, 1935S, 1936S, 1937S \$1.00 lot. 1916D, 1917D, 1918D, 1919D, 1920D, 1935D, 1936D, 1937D, \$1.00 lot. Send postage. —Max Karns, 2519 Hollybrook, Findlay, Ohio. May 20

WHILE THEY LAST 1960-P Unc. cents reengr. date \$1.00 each or 3 for \$2.50. 1957-B & E, joined 50¢ each, 3 for \$1.25. 1921-P Morgan Dollars, X.F., \$1.75. White Coin Co., 18 Wagner Pl., Hawthorne 1, N. J. May 29

FOR SALE

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1961 MINT SEALED Proof sets: Ten for \$28.50, postpaid. Twenty-five or more, \$2.75 each, postpaid. All early strikes. Alan Rutenbeck, Baldwin, Iowa. May 29

EIGHT DIFFERENT "S" Jefferson nickels (My choice) including 1951-S, VG-VF only \$1.00 Postpaid. Paul Reitmair, 916 Crawford St., Bethlehem, Pa. May 20

1932-S QUARTERS Fine \$10.00 each. Full rims clear lettering nice coins. Louis X. Bell, Box 20597, Los Angeles 6, Calif. May consider trades. Please write first May 22

LINCOLNS FOR SALE - Lots of ten each: 55S 1.00, 54S .50, 54P .60, 43PDS your choice bright 1.50, 38S 2.00, 28S 1.15, 27S 2.25, 25S 1.00, 24S 2.75, 23S 4.50, 21S 2.75, 17S, 18S 1.00, 16S 2.50, 15P 2.00, 15D 2.00. Earlier dates G-VG. Satisfaction guar. Postpaid. BIBE, 1040 Boyd, Fresno, 2, Calif. July 6

SMALL DATE SET, BU 1960-D large and small date cent in holder: 25¢ plus 4¢ stamp. carlino, 93 Sayre Street, Buffalo 7, New York. ANA. July 6

MAIL BID: CLOSES June 1st. Highest Bid for 10 1961 Gem Proof Sets. Also Unc. 1955-S Lincoln Roll. Vic Zettler, 91 Woodland Avenue, Verona, N. J.

GET THESE BEFORE New Red Book is issued. 1945S Micro S BU dime \$10.00; 1942S BU quarter \$5.50. Louis X. Bell, Box 20597, Los Angeles 6, Calif.

S LINCOLNS 1955S Very Fine to About Unc. 12 for .85; 1935 to 1955S very good to fine 1.25. extra fine to about Unc. 2.75; Sets; 1943 PDS good to very good .15. fine to very fine .25 extra Fine to About Unc. .50 Postpaid; Ethel Coddington 538 West Walnut St., Monrovia, Calif. July 6

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WHAT AM I OFFERED for a 1919-D VF+ half dollar? Ronald Neuhauser, 1935 Rutherford, Chicago 35, Illinois.

JEFFERSON NICKELS Good circulated condition—1939-D 90¢; 1938-S 30¢; 1938-D, 1939-S 25¢ each, 1949-S, 1950-P, 1951-S 1955-P 15¢ each plus stamp please. David Lefkowitz, 1630 East 102nd Street, Brooklyn 36, N. Y.

FREE! 1960 LARGE & SMALL Date D Cents with 1 Year Subscription—\$3.00 for 24 issues. Trial subscription \$1—4 issues. Coin Press Magazine, 231 North 18th St., East Orange, N. J.

DON'T MISS THIS BUY: Six B.U. 1960-D Small cents \$1.00 Gems. Stamp please. Crandford Coins, 40 Lewis St., Crandford, N. J. July 6

FOR SALE OR TRADE

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1960-D SMALL DATE Lincolns \$1.50 per roll Ex.F-A.U. or trade for what have you. Joseph McClanahan, 2737 Cornell, Dearborn, Michigan. May 22

FOR SALE OR TRADE 1834 small date cent almost fine \$4.50. 1873 cleaned nickel, closed three, weak in God we, very fine full shield only \$6.75. 1927-S quarters, visual grader, fine only \$10.50. All cash want full Red Book in trade. Need 57-P to 60-P cent rolls. John Poole, 242 Madrone, Vacaville, California.

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MAKE ME AN OFFER. Looking for all key Lincolns. Will trade B.U. Rolls or Proof Sets. Be reasonable. Ronald Lenneberg, 64-65 Wetherole Street, Rego Park 74, New York.

HAVE 2 BAGS OF BU 1959D cents. \$66. each or trade for \$50.00 plus coins, make offer. Express collect. R & H Coins, 104 Howard St., Hopelawn, N. J.

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BUYING CIRCULATED 1942-S, 1943-S, 1949-S, 75 other used Lincoln cents. Hundreds of other common coins. Send 25¢ for list. ADKIN, Box 110, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. Feb. 6

\$999.00 AVAILABLE For Purchase of your saleable coins, part sets, accumulations singles, gold, or what have you, priced right. Write Charles R. Mullin, 111 Alford Avenue, Staten Island 4, N. Y. July 6

B.U. ROLLS: Paying 1958P quarters \$11.50 1958D nickels \$6.10 1958P dime \$7.50 1955D dime \$13.00 1955P nickels \$25. Crandford Coins, 40 Lewis St., Crandford, New Jersey. July 6

WANTED—Reasonable Price Lists on key and semi-key Lincoln cents. Ronald Neuhauser, 1935 Rutherford, Chicago 35, Ill.

B.U. ROLLS. Paying 1960D Small cent \$3.50, 1955P halves \$15.00, 1955D quarter \$26.00, 1955D dime \$11.00. Please write Crandford Coins, 40 Lewis Street, Crandford, N. J. July 6

I PAY TOP PRICES for those old coins laying around the house. Send them now insured to Hammett's, 2006 Fairfield St., Las Vegas, Nevada.

WANT 1916D DIMES, Indian cents any amount, also proof sets, any year. State price and condition. Paul W. Hawkins, 329 E. 7th St., Tucson, Arizona.

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CANADIAN NICKELS 1922, 1927 to 1931 1934 to 1942, 1943 tombac each V.G. .15; 1947 dot F \$6.50; 1948 F .35; 1951 commemorative VF .20; 1955 B.U. .30; 1956 or 1957 B.U. .25; 1958 B.U. .15; 1959 or 1960 B.U. .10; 1957 bug-tail B.U. \$3.00, E.F. \$1.50. Marles & Co., Box 10-F, Station A, Calgary, Canada. May 22

1960, 1961 Uncirculated Cents - 5¢ each; Nickels - 1951 Comm. 20¢, 1960, 1961 Uncirculated - 15¢ each. J. Small, 234 Tacoma Avenue, Buffalo 16, N. Y. May 22

YOUR CHOICE OF ANY 20 Different Canadian cents 1938 thru 1960 \$1.00 plus 12¢ postage. S&W Coins, 228 Atlantic Drive, Lake Parsippany, New Jersey May 29

NEW! 1961 B.U. CANADIAN COINS: Cent 5¢, 3 for 10¢; nickel 10¢, 6 for 50¢; dime 20¢; 6 for \$1.00; quarter 40¢, 6 for \$2.10; halves 70¢, 3 for \$1.95; silver dollar \$1.35, 3 for \$4.00; complete set of 6 coins \$2.50. Orders under \$5.00 add 25¢. Marles & Co., Box 10-F, Station A, Calgary, Canada. June 6

TRADE 2 ROLL CANADIAN CENTS Circulated 1938 to 1960 for any proof set. Write first. J. Alvey, 2401 Lakeport, Sioux City 6, Iowa.

CANADIAN COINS, uncirculated prior to 1955; also U.S. black nickels; 1958-9, Great Britain minor coins; German porcelain coins; Any quantity. PLEASE PRICE your coins. "Coinsana", Northville, Michigan.

MINT ERRORS

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MINT ERRORS. 1961-D B.U. Lincoln errors: Broken foundation (left), two for \$1.00. Bush front of memorial, three for \$1.00. Filled A in states, \$1.00. Bird on right top corner of bldg., \$1.00. Button on shoulder, \$1.00. Skirted R, three for \$1.00. Limited supply. James Zambie, 217 York St., Helena, Ark. May 26

SPECIAL OFFER: 4 different "BE" (LIBERTY) cents, plus free gift, sent postpaid \$1.00. Emil Di Bella, 1560 Grand Concourse, Bronx 57P, New York. May 20

X-RARE MISDATED (1946 7-S) genuine die-break Lincoln cent XF—with five date digits. Make firm cash or trade offers. Freak Coin House, Box 462-F, Buffalo, Missouri. June 29

MINT ERRORS—LINCOLN'S—1955 last 5 shift — 1952-P Clipped 2 — 1944-P Clipped date \$1.00. Send stamp. — Ben Bleeker, Box 451, Beaver Falls, Pa.

MINT ERRORS

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FREAKS, ALL B.U. 7 Diff. cracked skulls \$1.00. 5 diff. 59-D \$5.00, 5 diff. 60-P .50; 5 diff. 61-D .50. Woody Jones, 1833 E. 18th, Cheyenne, Wyo. July 6

MINT ERRORS—LINCOLN'S—1955-P last 5 shift - 1957-P blob 9 - 1944 Clipped 4 - \$1.00. Send stamp. Ben Bleeker, Box 451, Beaver Falls, Pa.

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FREAKS, B.U. MINT ERRORS: 10 diff. 1960-D small date \$2.50; 10 diff. 1960-D Large date \$1.00; 20 diff. 1960-D Large date \$3.00. ones, 1833 E. 18th, Cheyenne, Wyo. July 6

MINT ERRORS—LINCOLN'S - 1956-P blob 9 - 1938-D Clipped 8 - 1951-D filled D - \$1.00. Send Stamp. Ben Bleeker, Box 451, Beaver Falls, Pa.

1955-P "BLOB" Circulated 15¢. 1960-D Small date cents F. Xtra Fine and about Unc. 10¢. Lambertson, 67 Webster Ave., Harrison, New York.

BUY AT BOTTOM FLOOR wholesale prices 1960D Brilliant uncirculated roll of skirted R cents \$3.75 postpaid. Albert Kramer, 59 West 65th Street, New York 23, New York. July 6

BEFORE JULY TENTH Send top bid with M.O. for ten brilliant uncirculated 1960 Double D Lincoln pennies. Mart A. Hicks, ANA, 400 Main St., Fort Bragg, Calif. June 6

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KNUCKLE HEADS Who have cleaned copper coins. Restore original dark tones with Re-Dul, harmless to coins. Old Copper-smiths Formula \$1.00. Buddy Coins, West Jonesport, Maine. July 6

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FIND COINS, SOUVENIRS, Treasure, in abandoned places, with our finest transistor metal locators \$25.00 up. Informative folder, "Metal Locating Kinks" 25¢. IGWTF, Williamsburg, New Mexico. Feb. . . .

1961 MINT SEALED Proof sets: Ten for \$28.50, postpaid. Twenty-five or more, \$2.75 each, postpaid. All early strikes. Alan Rutenbeck, Baldwin, Iowa. May 29

"BUBBLING BOY" SPICY item he extinguishes your cigarette. Hottest, Fastest selling novelty we've had in years. Really spontaneous seller. Sample \$1.00. Buddy's Coins, W. Jonesport, Maine. July 6

ROLLS

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1961-D HALF-DOLLARS ROLL \$11.00 postpaid. E.J.R., 4526 Vista St., Phila. 36, Penna. June 6

1955-P,D,S, UNC. ROLLS - one of each \$60.00 postpaid. E.J.R., 4526 Vista St., Phila. 36, Penna. June 6

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PRESIDENT KENNEDY Photo plaques — President's famous portrait in colors, 8"x10" mounted on redwood laminated with plastic. \$2.00 free Presidential coin. Buddy's Coins, W. Jonesport, Maine. Oct. 29

KENNEDY PRESIDENTIAL 1 1/2" Goldine \$1. Replica pieces 8 reales - \$1.50. United Nations \$1.50. Mason Star Shrine Rotary each 50¢. Free coin each order. Buddy's Coins, W. Jonesport, Maine. July 6

WOODEN NICKELS, 25 all different for each old Redbook (Good Shape) you can send. Send as many as you like! P.O. Box 112, Evansville, Indiana. Oct. 61

MASONIC CENT raised emblem on B. U. Lincoln cent 50¢ each, self addressed stamped envelope. Charles Seaman, Ogonquit 2, Maine. May 20

TEN TEXAS ARROWHEADS postpaid \$3.00, fifty diff. post card views postpaid \$1.00. Harvey Coin Shop, 91 Ave. H, Lubbock, Texas. June 10

"RACKETEER NICKEL", 1883 no cent (gold plated). Abt. Unc. \$3.35, VF-XF \$2.50, Fine \$1.85. Add .15 postage with each order. Send four cent stamp for illustrated list of Israel coins & medals. Moe Weinschel, P.O. Box 52, Rockaway Park 94 New York. Dec. 6

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ANTIQUE MECHANICAL Coin Banks! Authentic cast iron reproductions. Exactly like originals. Descriptive picture folders 25 models 10¢ refundable. HIGH, Dept. CP4 1219 Girard Ave., Wyomissing, Pennsylvania. Apr. 6/62

CIVIL WAR ITEMS

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CIVIL WAR CENTENNIAL Charleston, S. C. commemorative half dollars. Actually redeemed at face value by Charleston merchants and banks. All Brilliant Uncirculated. \$3.00 each, 2 for \$5.00, 5 for \$11. Limit 5. Bubba Johnson, P.O. Box 5281, N. Charleston, S.C. A.N.A. 38341 June 29

CIVIL WAR Patriotic tokens and merchants store cards highest prices paid. H. C. Finger R5 Somerville, N. J. June/6

CIVIL WAR BULLETS "Minnie Balls" from Georgia Battle Fields 2 for \$1.00. John Hooper, Box 144, Marietta, Ga. May 22

CIVIL WAR NEWSPAPERS - Original and authentic - \$2.00. Special: Newspapers with Lincoln on re-election ballot \$3.00. Historic Newspapers, 601 Studio Road. Ridgefield, New Jersey. Oct.

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CIVIL WAR CENTENNIAL COINS - 10 Northern & Southern Generals mounted two folders \$2.50. Medical Identification Medal - with pin or chain - Diabetics - Penicillin Reactors - Asthmatic protect your life \$2.95. Buddy's Coins, W. Jonesport, Maine. July 6

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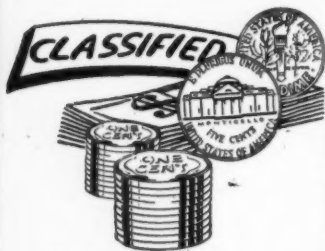
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